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SEIZES MANCHURIA

RUSSIA DECLARES OFFICIALLY THAT MANCHURIAN INCIDENT IS CLOSED AND ONLY POINT OF DISPUTE NOW IS SITUATION IN KOREA—MAKES A PRACTICAL DECLARATION OF INTENTION TO HOLD PROVINCE.

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, October 13.—The Russian Government has announced officially that the Manchurian incident is closed and that the situation in Korea is now the point of dispute.

The War Department has begun the transportation of 50,000 additional troops to the East. The present strength of Russian forces in Siberia and Manchuria is announced as 283,000 men.

JAPAN CALLING OFFICERS HOME.

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

ROME, October 13.—Forty-five Japanese officers who have been attending the various military academies and other institutions in Italy have been recalled home by order of the Japanese Government.

WASHINGTON IS NOT ALARMED.

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 13.—At a meeting of the Cabinet today Secretary of State Hay announced that the Eastern situation was not alarming at the present time.

JAPANESE MINISTER IS SANGUINE.

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

LONDON, October 13.—The Japanese Minister states that the situation in the Japanese and Russian dispute is taking a more reassuring aspect.

CATTLE DIED ON PROTET

FRENCH SAILORS EVIDENTLY DID NOT UNDERSTAND HOW TO CARE FOR LIVE STOCK.

The French sailors on the cruiser Protet may understand the art of caring for frogs legs but they are rather shy on knowledge of the care of legs of stock. Yesterday three head of cattle were ordered by the officers of the vessel from the Metropolitan Meat Market. The idea was to take the stock along so that fresh meat could be had during the voyage to Tahiti. The cattle were delivered all right aboard the vessel. Instead of untying the feet of the cattle, the Frenchmen tied all four of the legs together and left the cattle to lie on the deck overnight. Two of the cattle died last night and a third this morning. Mr. Waller of the meat market sent three more cattle out to the vessel today, with full instructions on how to care for them.

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WEAVER HOLDS COURT SESSION

W. R. CASTLE ON THE CONVENIENCE OF A TORRENS LAND TITLE.

Judge Weaver this morning held his first session of the land court, opening court in the usual way followed by the circuit courts, with George Sen acting as bailiff. The commission and appointments and oaths of office of the judge, registrar and all employees of the court were read by Deputy Registrar R. N. Boyd, and then Weaver announced that the court was ready for business. A number of attorneys were present, among them being W. R. Castle, who made a short address to the court. Castle said that he believed that the opening of the new land court was an event of importance enough in the history of the islands to call for some remarks, but that if anyone were to make remarks upon the subject it should be the judge, who had given much time to study of the Torrens system, and was more familiar with it than any other man in the Territory. "The Territory is to be congratulated on having one so thoroughly up in the law to take this position," said Castle. "I believe that the court will soon have more business than it can handle, when it becomes known what is the work it will do. A land title from this court as I understand it is as easily transferred as a certificate of stock and a loan may be made on it with the same ease."

"The court might say in that connection," said Judge Weaver, "that a simple transfer of a land title of this court is equivalent to a binding agreement to sell. The actual transfer is complete when the transfer is recorded here and a new certificate issued to the buyer. Up to the time of such recording the transfer is a binding agreement to sell."

Court was adjourned to Thursday morning.

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Counties Will Start Broke

At the present rate of expenditure of public money January first will see the Territorial treasury empty and in debt with all the taxes due next month spent, and there will not be a cent for the counties to start with. The legislature appropriated a large sum for the Territory to turn over to the counties, but it does not appear that there will be a cent to give any of them. At the very start there will be a financial problem in each county, while the Territory will begin a fiscal period in which the appropriations are considerably more than double the income, with only debts for capital.

The Territory is spending about \$250,000 a month now, and is about \$750,000 in debt, of which \$150,000 is money loaned by local banks and \$600,000 is registered warrants. These two debts will be taken up when taxes come in next month. The following table shows how the treasury may be expected to look on January 4, when according to law the Territory is to turn over \$725,000 to the counties:

Owing now	\$ 750,000.
Expenses to December 1	600,000.

Total	\$1,350,000.
Estimated income and cash now on hand	\$1,250,000.

The cash now on hand amounts to about \$50,000.

With this start owing about \$800,000, including what the law says should be paid to the counties, the Territory has a monthly salary expense alone of \$65,000 and an estimated income of \$30,000. This deficit of over \$30,000 per month is without allowing a cent for current expenses. The legislature in its wisdom appropriated Territorial monies as follows, as compared to the income:

Salaries, 18 months	\$1,105,607.00
Current expenses	1,478,335.00

Total expenses, 18 months	\$2,583,942.10
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Total revenue, 18 months	\$1,074,418.63
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The current expenses, of course, cannot nearly all be obtained and appropriations must be ignored.

The County of Oahu, it appears, like the other counties, will start without a cent unless the Territory either stops spending or makes a large borrow. None of the loan act money can be used for anything except the specific purposes for which it is all appropriated. According to the law the Territory was to turn over to Oahu \$520,000, to start

the county with. The county has in sight about \$50,000 from water rates, etc., that will fall due. The burden of steering through the pilikia will fall upon the Board of Supervisors and they will find it a big job.

The expenses of the counties cannot be estimated until the Boards of Supervisors meet and fix salaries. They have to provide for substitutes for scores of clerks and other minor officials wiped out of the Territorial appropriation bill, in addition to a salary roll of the elective officers, which in Oahu amounts to \$17,400 per month. The following jobs are stricken out of the Territorial departments after January 4 next:

Clerks, stenographers, interpreters and bailiffs of all circuit courts. District magistrates and their clerks. All police, deputy sheriffs and clerks and all jailers except Oahu prison.

Entire tax bureau. All public works employees except one clerk and bookkeeper. Sewerage, garbage and excavator employees. Electric light works. Water works. Fire Department.

The Boards of Supervisors will have to immediately take hold of all these propositions and carry them along.

Government officials are said to have discussed the matter with local bankers, with a view to ascertaining what aid will be given to the government and it is said that some of the financial men expressed dissatisfaction with the present scale of expenditure. A general shut down on current expenses may follow the floating of the loan bonds and securing of cash to take up loan bill improvements. In the meantime, it is stated, bankers have not expressed any willingness to come to the rescue. They will be paid the \$150,000, however, which they advanced on Treasury notes a short time ago, when taxes come in next month. Treasurer Kepoikai stated this morning that he would undertake first to settle this and all the registered warrants.

After the counties are well started it is believed that they can run themselves financially, but the Territory appears to be up against long difficulties. The only recourse, it is believed, will be a general raising of tax rates next year and the result of this will not be received until the year following.

It is this prospect which is thought to have caused one or two withdrawals of candidates for supervisors and other offices. The prospect for the officials is not a rosy one and those who are elected may find it all they bargained for and more.

McCLELLAN'S COMPLAINT

Col. McClellan of Camp McKinley leaves on the Sierra this afternoon for the Mainland and will present to the Department of California the matter of the arrest of the three soldiers, who were recently discharged by Judge Gear and were rearrested by the police while, as is claimed, they were under arrest by the Camp military authorities and being taken for court martial. The colonel made complaint to the governor on October 6, as stated in The Star and an answer was sent to the governor by Attorney General Andrews on October 9. On the following day Col. McClellan wrote to the governor denying the attorney general's statements as to the circumstances of the arrests, declaring that he didn't believe there was a case against the men and asking for official information as to the charge against them, in order that he might present it to the department commander. The charge was burglary and is now larceny.

An Exile Of 1895 Returns To Honolulu

W. H. C. GREIG, WHO WAS SENTENCED TO TWENTY YEARS' IMPRISONMENT AND \$10,000 FINE FOR ALLEGED COMPLICITING IN 1895 REVOLUTION VISITS HONOLULU AFTER AN ABSENCE OF EIGHT YEARS.

One of the prominent leaders of the revolution of '95 returned this morning on the S. S. Sierra for a short visit to Honolulu. He is W. H. C. Greig of Fanning Island and he is en route to San Francisco. This is the first time that Mr. Greig has visited Honolulu since the political troubles that necessitated his leaving the Hawaiian Islands. His arrival today was under auspices strikingly in contrast with the conditions that prevailed at the time of his departure from these islands. When he left Honolulu eight years ago, he had been sentenced to serve 20 years in prison and to pay a fine of \$10,000. His alleged complicity in the revolution was the offence for which he had been sentenced.

Mr. Greig was high in the councils of the revolutionist party. He was with Samuel Nowlein at the time the latter was apprehended. Greig was one of the first four of the political prisoners to be placed on trial before the military tribunal. Wilcox, Nowlein and one of the Widemans were the others arraigned with him. Greig was convicted like the balance, and given almost as heavy a sentence as Wilcox who received 35 years' imprisonment and a fine of \$10,000. Greig was permitted, it is understood, to leave some time after the finding of

the tribunal and he has until today remained away from these islands. With the change of government, he is able to return without any cause for apprehension over his past political offences being charged against him.

Mr. Greig intends to remain in Honolulu a couple of weeks and then proceed to San Francisco. He is traveling for pleasure.

"There has been nothing of particular interest at Fanning Island," he stated this morning, "since my brothers left. The superintendent of the cable company was at Fanning when we left last Saturday. The cable ship Iris is en route to take him to the other station at Suva, Fiji. The Iris was passed by us Sunday morning."

"The action which Captain Reed our brother-in-law, instituted against us has been decided completely in our favor. My brothers, who passed through Honolulu some months ago went to Suva for the purpose of testifying before a court of arbitration. After bearing the evidence the court returned a verdict in our favor within three days after the case had been closed. Captain Reed made demands upon us which we considered exorbitant. We refused to pay the demands and agreed to submit the case to a court of arbitration."

FIXING UP SALVAGE

In the federal court this morning Attorney Breckons announced that negotiations are progressing in San Francisco for the settlement of the suit brought by Spreckels' tug Fearless against the steamship Clavering, for salvage for hauling the steamer off the reef here. Breckons said that news of the settlement of the case might be received from San Francisco, and the case was postponed.

The cases of the United States against H. Hackfeld & Company was also postponed, to await a complete copy of the decision given on appeal in San Francisco, in the test cases sent there. The McLennan fire claims cases, and the cases of the U. S. vs. J. O. Carter et al and vs. Captain J. T. Smith, were set for Monday, to be set for trial then.

The Federal grand jury began sessions in the Supreme Court room, with J. J. Dunne presenting several cases. The Porto Rican case of forging a postal order and a customs regulation case were among the first taken up. The trial jury is to appear in court tomorrow morning, but will not begin work for a day or so, until the grand jury makes a report.

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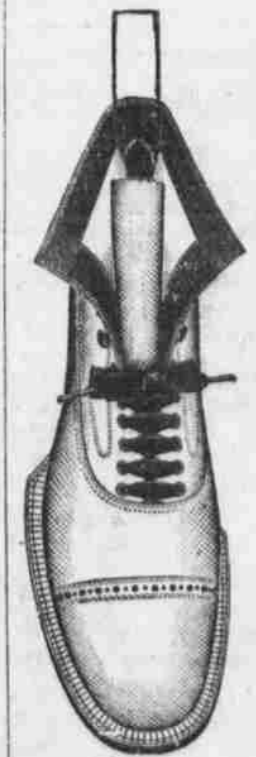
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